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In re Application of: Kuiken)

Application No.: 09/558,570)

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests entry of the remarks and amendments to the above-identified U.S. patent application. The amendments are as indicated on the enclosed Amended Claims pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121 (c)(3) and Amended Claims Marked to Show Changes Made pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121 (c)(1)(ii).

Examination of the application as amended is respectfully requested and applicant believes the application is now in condition for allowance and requests notice of the same.

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 10, 18-19 are pending in this application, and claims 4-9, 11-17 and 20-22 have been withdrawn. In the Office Action dated August 7, 2002, claims 1-3, 10, 18 and 19 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first and second paragraphs. Applicant has amended those claims to address the Section 112 rejection. The amendments to these claims were strictly made

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